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Description: 12-3J14-24-B-0562

Bid invitation number: 2000010269
Purchasing Group: AMS-Livestock

#### **SOLICITATION**

**Domestic Commodity Invitation** 

### **Bid invitation Overview**

Bid Timezone: Central Time

Start Date: 07/31/2024 14:15:00 Offer Due Date : 08/09/2024 13:00:00

Opening date: 08/09/2024 13:00:00

Invitation Type: Definite Delivery

## Additional requested information:

### Tendering text - Header :

FROZEN PORK PRODUCTS SOLICITATION NO: 2000010269 WBSCM NO: 12-3J14-24-B-0562

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell Frozen Pork Products pursuant to the AMS Master Solicitation for use in the National School Lunch Program and other Federal Food and Nutrition Assistance Programs. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, August 16, 2024.

Deliveries are to be made between October 01, 2024 through December 31, 2024.

The Contract Specialist for this solicitation is Lauren Heer (lauren.heer@usda.gov) and the Contracting Officer is Adele Jackson-Croal (adele.l.croal@usda.gov). Any questions or concerns regarding this solicitation should be addressed to the specialist first.

Materials 110380 is 100% Small Business Set-Aside. See FAR 52.219-6 Notice of Small Business Set-Aside. NAICS code 311611 Business size 1,150 employees or less apply to this requirement.

For a new -to-USDA contractor and existing contractors bidding on new products, a probationary period will be implemented in which awards are limited to 10 truckloads per product. Contractor must demonstrate successful delivery of at least five (5) truckloads of product to be removed from probationary status on future solicitations. For the purposes of this rule, successful delivery is defined as product delivered on-time and in acceptable condition according to the terms and conditions of the contract. Any delivery problems directly attributable to the Government will not be held against the contractor.

The Government reserves the right to reject, in total or in part, manufacturers lots, sub-lots, production dates or the like when non-conforming product is identified.

Domestic Origin: All meat shall originate from livestock that are born, raised, and harvested in the United States, its territories or possessions (U.S.) If the establishment receives and processes livestock from outside the U.S., a segregation plan shall be put in place to preclude nonconforming product from being introduced into Federal nutrition assistance programs.

This Solicitation may show multiple stops on some line items; however, the number of stops will be limited to a maximum of three. To determine the number of destinations, review the "Tendering Text" for the lot, which will indicate the City and State for each stop. Bidders may submit different prices for each stop. However, a price is required on all line items within the lot.

For offshore destinations (Puerto Rico, Hawaii, etc.), offerors have the option to choose to enter their bids direct to

the offshore destination or to the port. Offshore destination ports: Guam (O-LA; Los Angeles, CA), Hawaii (O-LA;

Los Angeles, CA), Puerto Rico (O-JACK; Jacksonville, FL) and Virgin Islands (O-PEVE; Port Everglades,

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Purchases will be made on an f.o.b. destination basis to cities on this Solicitation. Destination quantities listed are estimates and subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient needs, market conditions, and program operations.

All prime vendors are reminded that they are prohibited from subcontracting with companies or individuals that have been suspended or debarred.

Offers must be submitted electronically via the Web-Based Supply Chain Management System (WBSCM). Offers submitted by any means other than WBSCM will be deemed nonresponsive. Offerors must be active in WBSCM and have the required bidder roles in order to submit offers under this solicitation. Once connected, follow the online procedures. A "HELP" button provides detailed instructions or call (202) 720-4517 for assistance.

Offerors are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver. Inquiries about the AMS Master Solicitation dated February 2024; Supplement 304 to dated August 2017; or this Solicitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA, AMS, Room 3522-South; 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W.; Washington, D.C. 20250-0239. Telephone: (202) 720-4517. FAX: (202)720-2782.

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690-7442 or email at program.intake@usda.gov.

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Persons with disabilities who wish to file a program complaint, please see information above on how to contact us by mail directly or by email. If you require alternative means of communication for program information (e.g., Braille, large print, audiotape, etc.)please contact USDA's TARGET Center at (202)

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720-2600 (voice and TDD).

#### See attached documents:

- 1 . MSCP-D FEB 2024
- 2 . Supplement 304 Frozen Pork Chop sAugust 2017

#### Attributes:

OFFEROR CERTIFIES THAT THE OFFER IS MADE SUBJECT TO THE MASTER SOLICITATION; COMMODITY SUPPLEMENT AND/OR SPECIFICATION(S); THIS SOLICITATION; THE AGRICULTURE ACQUISITION REGULATIONS (AGAR) AND THE FEDERAL ACQUISITION REGULATIONS (FAR). Timely performance: Offeror and any subcontractor have completed required performance of any USDA contract prior to this bid opening.

Permitted values: - Have been delivered

- Have not been delivered
- Have not been delivered, but the Offeror has notified the Contracting Officer
- There are no existing contracts/purchase orders

OFFEROR REQUESTS HUBZONE SMALL BUSINESS PRICE EVALUATION PREFERENCE. APPLIES ONLY TO FIRMS CERTIFIED IN THE SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION#S HUBZONE PROGRAM (FAR SUBPART 19.13).MUST BE THE MANUFACTURER/PRODUCER OF THE PRODUCT TO RECEIVE A PRICE PREFERENCE

Furnish name, title, phone number, fax number, and e-mail address of person submitting this bid (must be an officer of the company or a person authorized to execute contracts/purchase orders on behalf of the bidder).

IS THE OFFEROR AN ENTITY THAT HAS FILED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION IN ONE OF THE FIFTY STATES, THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OR THE VARIOUS TERRITORIES OF THE UNITED STATES? YOU MUST ANSWER THE NEXT 3 QUESTIONS IF THE ANSWER FOR THIS QUESTION IS YES.

HAS THE OFFEROR BEEN CONVICTED OF A FELONY CRIMINAL VIOLATION UNDER FEDERAL OR STATE LAW IN THE 24 MONTHS PRECEDING THE DATE OF OFFER?

HAS THE OFFEROR HAD ANY OFFICER OR AGENT OF OFFEROR CONVICTED OF A FELONY CRIMINAL VIOLATION FOR ACTIONS TAKEN ON BEHALF OF OFFEROR UNDER FEDERAL OR STATE LAW IN THE 24 MONTHS PRECEDING THE DATE OF OFFER?

DOES THE OFFEROR HAVE ANY UNPAID FEDERAL TAX LIABILITY ASSESSED, WHICH ALL JUDICIAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REMEDIES HAVE BEEN EXHAUSTED/LAPSED, THAT IS NOT BEING PAID IN A TIMELY MANNER PURSUANT TO AGREEMENT WITH THE AUTHORITY

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#### RESPONSIBLE FOR COLLECTING IT?

Offeror acknowledges receipt of the amendment(s) to the solicitation. Select N/A if no amendment was issued to the solicitation.

Permitted values: - Yes

- No - N/A

- 1B) Offeror certifies that complete and accurate product information will be submitted to GS1 GDSN no later than December 31, 2021, if the awarded contract includes item(s) from the List of Required Products for GS1 GDSN Reporting.
- 1A) Offeror certifies that the information submitted in GS1 GDSN will be kept up-to-date (to reflect changes in product attributes, such as changes to the ingredient or allergen statement) until the end of the contract period.
- 1A) Offeror has reviewed the List of Required Products for GS1 Global Data Synchronization Network (GDSN) Reporting located at:

Permitted values: - YES

- NO

1C) Offeror certifies that the information submitted in GS1 GDSN will be kept up-to-date (to reflect changes in product attributes, such as changes to the ingredient or allergen statement) until the end of the contract period.

Bid invitation Item details											
Item Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	_						
10 PORK, FROZE	N										
20 PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB											
30 IRVINE CA											
40 110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	12/01/2024-12/15/2024	92618		LB						
				38,000.000							
50 WOODLA	AND CA										
60 110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	11/16/2024-11/30/2024	95776		LB						
				38,000.000							
70 BALTIMORE MD											
80 110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	11/01/2024-11/15/2024	21227		LB						
				38,000.000							
90 BRIDGETON MO											
100 110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	10/01/2024-10/15/2024	63044		LB						
				38,000.000							
110 KANSAS CITY MO											
120 110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	10/01/2024-10/15/2024	64161		LB						
				38,000.000							

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130	110380	PORK CHOPS	BNLS FRZ	PKG-40/1	LB	11/01/2024-11/15/2024	64161		LB
140	110380	PORK CHOPS	BNLS FRZ	PKG-40/1	LB	12/01/2024-12/15/2024	64161	38,000.000 38,000.000	LB
150	LAS VE	GAS NV						, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
160	110380	PORK CHOPS	BNLS FRZ	PKG-40/1	LB	12/01/2024-12/15/2024	89030	38,000.000	LB
170	PHARR	TX							
180	110380	PORK CHOPS	BNLS FRZ	PKG-40/1	LB	10/01/2024-10/15/2024	78577	38,000.000	LB
190	110380	PORK CHOPS	BNLS FRZ	PKG-40/1	LB	11/01/2024-11/15/2024	78577	38,000.000	LB
200	EAU CL	AIRE WI						00,000.000	
210	110380	PORK CHOPS	BNLS FRZ	PKG-40/1	LB	12/16/2024-12/31/2024	54703	38,000.000	LB
220	EVANS	ILLE WY							
230	110380	PORK CHOPS	BNLS FRZ	PKG-40/1	LB	12/16/2024-12/31/2024	82636	38,000.000	LB
240	LOT: 11	6485831 B	RIDGETO	N MO /	COLUM	<i>Bl</i>			
		Tendering to SPRINGFIEL		m : LOT:	11648	5831 BRIDGETON M	O / COLUI	MBIA MO /	
250	110380	PORK CHOPS	BNLS FRZ	PKG-40/1	LB	11/16/2024-11/30/2024	63044	12,920.000	LB
260	110380	PORK CHOPS	BNLS FRZ	PKG-40/1	LB	11/16/2024-11/30/2024	65202		LB
070	440200	DODK CHOPS	DAIL C EDZ	DVC 40/4		44/46/0004 44/00/0004	CE002	12,000.000	
270	110380	PORK CHOPS	BNL5 FRZ	PKG-40/1	LB	11/16/2024-11/30/2024	65803	13,080.000	LB
280	LOT: 11	7401344 B	RIDGETO	N MO /	SIKEST	O			
	Tendering text - Item: LOT: 117401344 BRIDGETON MO / SIKESTON MO / SPRINGFIELD MO /								
290	110380	PORK CHOPS	BNLS FRZ	PKG-40/1	LB	10/16/2024-10/31/2024	63044		LB
300	110380	PORK CHOPS	RNI S ED7	PKG-40/1	I R	10/16/2024-10/31/2024	63801	10,000.000	LB
300	. 10000	. July OHOFS	DIALO TIVE	. 10-40/1		10/10/2027-10/01/2024	00001	15,680.000	בט
310	110380	PORK CHOPS	BNLS FRZ	PKG-40/1	LB	10/16/2024-10/31/2024	65803	12,320.000	LB

320 LOT: 149260716 COLUMBIA MO / KANSAS C...

Tendering text - Item: LOT: 149260716 COLUMBIA MO / KANSAS CITY MO / ST

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		JOSEPH MO /						
330	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	10/01/2024-10/15/2024	65202	14,000.000	LB		
340	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	10/01/2024-10/15/2024	64129	13,800.000	LB		
350	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	10/01/2024-10/15/2024	64505	10,200.000	LB		
360	LOT: 20	2242765 BOSTON MA / CHICOPEE	<i>M</i>					
	Tendering text - Item : LOT: 202242765 BOSTON MA / CHICOPEE MA / SHREWSBURY MA /							
370	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	12/01/2024-12/15/2024	02118		LB		
					19,000.000			
380	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	12/01/2024-12/15/2024	01020	0.500.000	LB		
200	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	12/01/2024-12/15/2024	01545	9,520.000	LB		
390	110300	FORR CHOPS BINLS FRZ FRG-40/1 LB	12/01/2024-12/13/2024	01545	9,480.000	LB		
400	LOT: 34	8551258 DENVER CO / GRAND JU	NC		-,			
		Tendering text - Item: LOT: 34855	1258 DENVER CO / 0	RAND JU	JNCTION CO	O /		
410	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	12/16/2024-12/31/2024	80239	28,520.000	LB		
420	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	12/16/2024-12/31/2024	81505		LB		
					9,480.000			
430 LOT: 368606598 BOSTON MA / LOWELL MA								
		<b>Tendering text - Item :</b> LOT: 36860 SHREWSBURY MA /	16598 BOSTON MA /	LOWELL	MA /			
440	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	10/01/2024-10/15/2024	02118	19,000.000	LB		
450	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	10/01/2024-10/15/2024	01851	9,480.000	LB		
460	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	10/01/2024-10/15/2024	01545	9,520.000	LB		
		Total Quantity for PORK CHOPS BN	ILS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB		684,000.000	LB		
		Total Quantity for Invitation				LB		
					684,000.000			

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